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## PARAGRAPHS CONCERNING MICHIGAN

(By Ed A. Nowack)

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 27.—An example of unselfish devotion to public duty is chronicled in the labors of Fred W. Green, Ionia, mayor of that city for so many years that the name and date of service of his predecessor is forgotten. The review of cities as observed by the League of Michigan Municipalities gives Mayor Green a salary of \$400.00 a year. In his own right he is a millionaire several times over. There are a number of cities listed by the League as having mayors who receive from \$25 to \$100 annually. Grand Ledge pays its mayor \$25 a year; St. Johns is listed as paying its mayor \$72; Ypsilanti pays \$1 per year and several cities, like Cadillac and Big Rapids, pay nothing.

Cities in Michigan during the past year have installed about 20,000 miles of street lighting equipment as an aid to beautifying cities at night and to provide protection.

Michigan boasts of a state wide super power system 1,600 miles in length. This system is owned by the Consumers Power company and it serves 159 thriving cities and towns. Electrical resources of this system total about a million horsepower, with 171,000 additional horsepower now under construction and soon ready for release.

Hunters generally this year are stronger than ever for the one-buck law. More deer are in the woods now than for many years past, they say. It was left in the natural increase for deer this year to wipe away the major part of the prejudice against the present law. It is estimated that around 40,000 hunters took out deer hunting permits this year. About half the number are expected to obtain deer.

Thirty-three cities in Michigan now have city managers to conduct the business of the municipalities. The salary of \$1,400 is the lowest paid, at Big Rapids, while one other city pays \$1,800, four others \$2,000 per year, three \$2,400 and the balance from \$2,600 to \$7,000. Fred Locke, Grand Rapids, and Fred Harris, Escanaba, are in the latter class.

### DID YOU KNOW THAT:

Frank Croul, Detroit's commission-

er of police, is the highest salaried police chief in Michigan. He draws \$7,500 per year. M. D. Castle, Union City chief of police, is one of the lowest paid, he receives \$750.00.

Fifty-four cities in Michigan have securities of chambers of commerce.

The bonded debt of all the cities in the State of Michigan is but a trifle over \$225,000,000. Detroit's bonded debt alone is nearly half, \$140,163,430.

The tax rate of Gladstone per thousand dollars assessed valuation is \$90.84 for all purposes. Her school tax is \$56 of the total.

The first white settlers arrived in the vicinity of Escanaba in 1846.

Escanaba boasts of being the only city on Lake Michigan that completely purifies its water and, as well, completely sterilizes its sewage.

The Holstein Freisan association of America will meet in Grand Rapids in June, 1925.

But 11 per cent of Roscommon county is in agricultural use.

Resort land in Roscommon county, while but 2.4 per cent of the total has a bigger assessment than any other classification and pays 28.3 per cent of the county's burden.

670 acres of Roscommon land comprises all the villages in the county. The state owns 28 per cent of the county land which has reverted thru nonpayment of taxes.

The State of Michigan owns 738,475 acres of vitality unproductive cut over land that has reverted thru lapse of tax payments. This land formerly bore excellent timber.

Roscommon county has 14 fair sized chicken ranches.

During the last five years Michigan has lost thru abandonment 275 miles of railroad.

St. Clair county has completed 20 miles of concrete pavement this year.

The Pere Marquette has offered to deed its abandoned right of way in Berrien county, with a bridge worth \$150,000, to the county for highway purposes.

Some young fellows in business appear to spend most of their time honking their horns, while others are learning to use the steering wheel.

## JAPPA LODGE VISITS GRAYLING

### CONFERENCE INITIATION UPON FIVE CANDIDATES.

It was indeed a most pleasant occasion among the Masonic fraternity last Saturday night when the officers and a number of members of Jappa lodge, F. and A. M., of Bay City were their guests. About 25 Masons from the "Glad Hand" town arrived at various hours Saturday afternoon, by auto, and were most cordially welcomed by Worshipful Master Johan Bruun and other members of Grayling lodge.

Lodge was opened at about 6:00 o'clock and upon invitation from Mr. Bruun, the visiting officers occupied the official stations, as follows: Worshipful master, E. A. Russell; senior warden, A. R. Gray; junior deacon, S. J. Hein Miller, and Mr. Race, secretary. Harold Jarman, J. Kraus and Carl Peterson, members of Grayling lodge, occupied the stations of junior warden, junior deacon and Tyler respectively.

After conferring the first section of the third degree, the candidates being Dr. H. H. Pool, Axel Peterson, Herbert Smith, Carl Jensen and Clark Yost, the lodge closed for refreshments and the men enjoyed a real dinner, served by the ladies of Grayling Chapter, Eastern Star. The banquet room was pretty with nicely set tables, each with bouquets of cut flowers. The food was delicious and abundant and was prepared and nicely served by the ladies of the Star lodge.

While the gentlemen were enjoying their smokes there were a number of short talks, all of which were interesting and entertaining.

The second section of the initiatory work was conferred by the famous Fellowshipcraft degree team of Jappa lodge, and was wonderfully well executed. The lectures were given by E. A. Russell, master of Jappa lodge, and A. R. Gray, senior warden of Jappa lodge.

During the speaking at the banquet Master Johan Bruun of Grayling lodge assured the visitors a most cordial welcome and the appreciation of Grayling lodge for having come to Grayling. In response Worshipful Master Russell thanked the members for having invited them to come, and assured them that they were having a good time, and extended a most cordial invitation to Grayling lodge to visit them in Bay City. It is hoped and expected that the invitation may be accepted in due time.

Other speakers at the banquet were R. D. Conline of Grayling lodge and Rev. Patterson of Jappa lodge. All the five new members of Grayling lodge. During the banquet Clark's orchestra furnished music and were very highly complimented by the guests and home members.

The entire evening was very enjoyable, and the fine cordial feeling that has long existed between the members of Jappa and Grayling lodges was more than ever firmly cemented, and we are sure that those present will long remember the occasion with profound pleasure.

## TOURIST AND RESORT INDUSTRY OUT OF CRADLE.

Robert Rayburn, of Alpena, president of the North Eastern Michigan Development Bureau, is very enthusiastic over the unusually bright prospects presaged for Northeastern Michigan thru the tourist and resorter. The active and general interest shown by the attendance at the annual meeting at Bay City, October 28, is one of the bases for Mr. Rayburn's enthusiasm. The active interest evidenced by representatives from Wayne County and counties in the Thumb district is one of the weathervanes to which Mr. Rayburn points in support of his optimistic view.

In a statement Mr. Rayburn says: "The tourist and resort industry in East Michigan, which up to the present has been virtually in its cradle, is out of its swaddling clothes and in the summer of 1925 will flower and develop in an amazing manner. One reason for this conviction is the indications which are seen on every hand and especially in the southern part of our section of the state that there has been an awakening to the commercial significance of the tourist and resort trade.

"A few years ago this industry was in a stage of infancy; today it is in a condition of robust, healthy development that is attracting the studied attention of a great many people. All this young industry needs to make it one of the biggest industries in the state is sustenance. This sustenance includes among other ingredients, co-operation and team-work. It is obvious that these and other necessities will be forthcoming.

"Wayne county, and counties in the Thumb had representatives present at the annual meeting in Bay City last month. These representatives are all business men of known acumen. They have studied the tourist trend coolly and calmly and they went on record as being wholeheartedly for it. The co-operation of these sections of the state will give the movement an impetus that will advance it to the place it should have in the sun.

"The tourist and resort industry affects everyone in Michigan in one way or another. It frequently means real prosperity for the entire community, and our people are to be congratulated in the assistance which will be forthcoming from the lower part of the state in placing our section on the map."

A circular letter has been sent out from the office of the North Eastern Michigan Development Bureau, urging resort and tourist organizations to carefully investigate all advertising propositions submitted to them. All kinds of schemes are being offered, some good, some bad and many indifferently worthy. A plausible presentation often makes perfectly valueless propositions look promising. If desirable, the Bureau is ready to personally investigate these advertising propositions and pass upon their desirability. Other organizations similar in principle to the bureau, render this service to their members.

That the city of Midland appreciates the growing importance of the tourist trade is reflected in plans which are already being made. The Fair grounds will continue to be a free camping site, following recent official action. Business men are planning the installation of conveniences and accommodations not heretofore available to the tourist. The completion of the Stanford and Edenville dams will place Midland on the threshold of a new resort section. Active interest among Midland business men in the tourist phase of the work of the North Eastern Michigan Development Bureau is evidenced in the new members which are being enrolled.

Mackinaw Island, the most famous of middle west resorts, is displaying a rivetted interest in advertising to attract the tourist and resorter. There has been a rehabilitation of the Mackinaw Island Civic Improvement Association and an advertising budget has been established. Recently the organization appropriated \$1,000.00 for the three tourist associations in the state. The East Michigan Tourist Association will receive one third of this amount.

### WANTED: A SHOT GUN.

The editor of a Michigan paper states that he borrowed a Winchester rifle recently and started up the street to deliver the weapon to the owner. The delinquent subscribers got it into their heads that he was on the warpath and every one he met insisted on paying what they owed him. One man wiped out a debt of ten years standing. On return to the office he found a load of hay, 15 bushels of corn, ten bushels of apples, 22 bushels of potatoes, a cord of wood and a barrel of turnips that had been brought in. All the country editors are now trying to borrow Winchester rifles—Utica Sentinel.

## G.—H.—S. "PEP"

EDITORS:  
Maude Taylor, Astrid Ahman,  
Eva Hendrickson, Cora King.

### "Jokes"

We wonder why the pencil sharpeners are busy at 1:05 o'clock.  
Mr. Smith (in basket ball practice): "Double dribble, Astrid!"  
Astrid Ahman: "No, I didn't double dribble, I just bounced it twice."  
Found on an examination paper of one of the 8th B's:  
Question: What is ventilation?  
Answer: Ventilation tells us what kind of food, and we should ventilate our food.

Miss Sharpe (giving a question in English Lit.): "The book is her's or hern, which pronoun would you use?"  
Carlyle Brown: "Neither one, hisn."  
Mr. Burnham (in Chemistry class to girls and boys speaking when others are called upon): "Reynolds is a nice name, but we all cannot have it, and it is possible for some of you girls to be named Robertson, but not you boys."

### Personals.

Rose Newell and Frank Willet of the 1st grade have returned to school after a week's absence.

Glee Club girls are planning a supper at Corwin's Tuesday night.

Several have returned to school after two weeks vacation spent hunting.

Mr. Burnham went to Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Ruby Stephan taught the fifth grade Monday. Miss Meyers being ill was unable to be at school.

There have been two new basket balls purchased this term.

Marcella Sullivan, former captain of the basket ball team of the G. H. S., has been chosen captain of the hockey team of Michigan State Normal college, Ypsilanti.

Report cards come out a day early.

## PROPOSED ABANDONMENT OF RAILROAD FACILITIES.

"The Manistee & North-Eastern Railroad Company and the Michigan Trust Company, as Receiver, have made application to the Michigan Public Utilities Commission for permission to abandon the entire line of the Manistee and North-Eastern Railroad, and to dismantle and remove all tracks and structures and dispose of the right-of-way and property appurtenant thereto, in such manner as may be lawful.

"This application will come up for hearing before the Michigan Public Utilities Commission at its offices in Lansing, Michigan, on the eleventh day of December, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-Four, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, Central Standard Time, or on such other date as said hearing may be adjourned to, by order of this Commission. At this hearing all parties interested in the matter will be heard."

Michigan Securities Commission, Lansing, Michigan, 11-20-3

James Richardson—Michigan Agricultural college, Lansing.  
Aubrey Barrett—Michigan State Normal College, Ypsilanti.  
George Granger—Working.  
Carl Johnson—At home.  
Farnum Matson—Working.  
Almer Smith—At home.  
Edgar McPherson—Working.  
Wesley LaGrow—Working.  
Carl Olson—Working.  
Lipman Landsberg—Working.  
Edward Trudeau—Working.  
Rufus Edmonds—Working.  
Finley Klingensmith—Pennsylvania—Working.

Henry Ahman—University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Wilbur Gould—Working.

Bernice McNeven—At home.

Helen Sherman Buggy—At home.

Marcella Sullivan—Michigan State Normal, Ypsilanti.

Fedora Montour—Mercy hospital, Grayling.

Helen Ziebell—Ferris Institute.

Clairibel Lovely—Ferris Institute.

Luanna Lietz—Bay City Mercy hospital.

Beulah Colleen—Detroit Business University.

Francella Corwin—Now Mrs. Carl Hanson.

Florence Corwin—Working.

Ruth Harrington—Teaching.

Nyland Houghton—Working.

Clarence Ingalls—Working.

Grace Nelson—At home.

Lena Diffell—Working.

We wish to correct the statement made in last week's news that, Eva Hendrickson received a bronze medal for having four words per minute in typewriting. It should have read forty words per minute.

The freshmen gave a party for the sophomores last Friday evening. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

The second number of the Lyceum course was given Monday evening in the High school auditorium. The entertainer of this was Miss Maude Willis, an elocutionist, and everyone enjoyed it very much.



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Yet many people who exercise care in most purchases buy automobiles without even lifting the hood or knowing about the hidden qualities of body and chassis construction that really determine one's satisfaction with a closed car.

We want you to know about the unseen qualities of the new Studebaker Standard Six Sedan.

Down underneath its superb body finish is a sturdy framework of carefully selected ash, glued together and fastened in place by screws—not nailed. Ash is scarce and expensive, but Studebaker uses it because it best combines proper weight and strength.

Upholstery is genuine mohair of high quality. Various grades of mohair look much alike—the big difference is in the quality.

Beneath this mohair covering are many nests of cushion springs, padded with heavy

hurlup, upholstery cotton and curled hair. Almost any car seems comfortable on the showroom floor, but it's quality such as this that makes the Studebaker Standard Six remain comfortable after years of service.

The same standards of excellence are maintained throughout the body and chassis. In the engine, for example, the crankshaft is completely machined on all surfaces, a practice that results in the smooth, quiet, vibrationless performance that characterizes all Studebaker cars.

Judged solely on what your eye can see—in beauty of line and finish and exterior refinements—the Studebaker Standard Six Sedan will command your instant approval.

But go deeper than that. Compare its hidden, vital qualities—its design, materials and workmanship—with cars selling for hundreds of dollars more.

Studebaker never compromises—never uses a substitute for genuine quality. Studebaker has been building quality vehicles for 72 years. Come in and let us tell you the "inside story" of the Studebaker Standard Six Sedan.

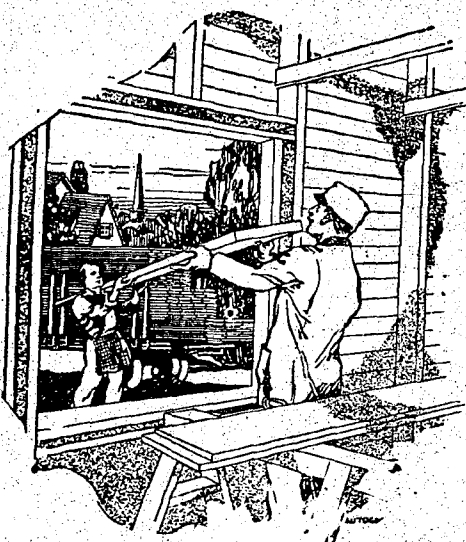
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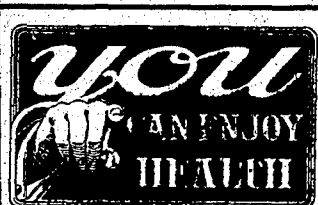
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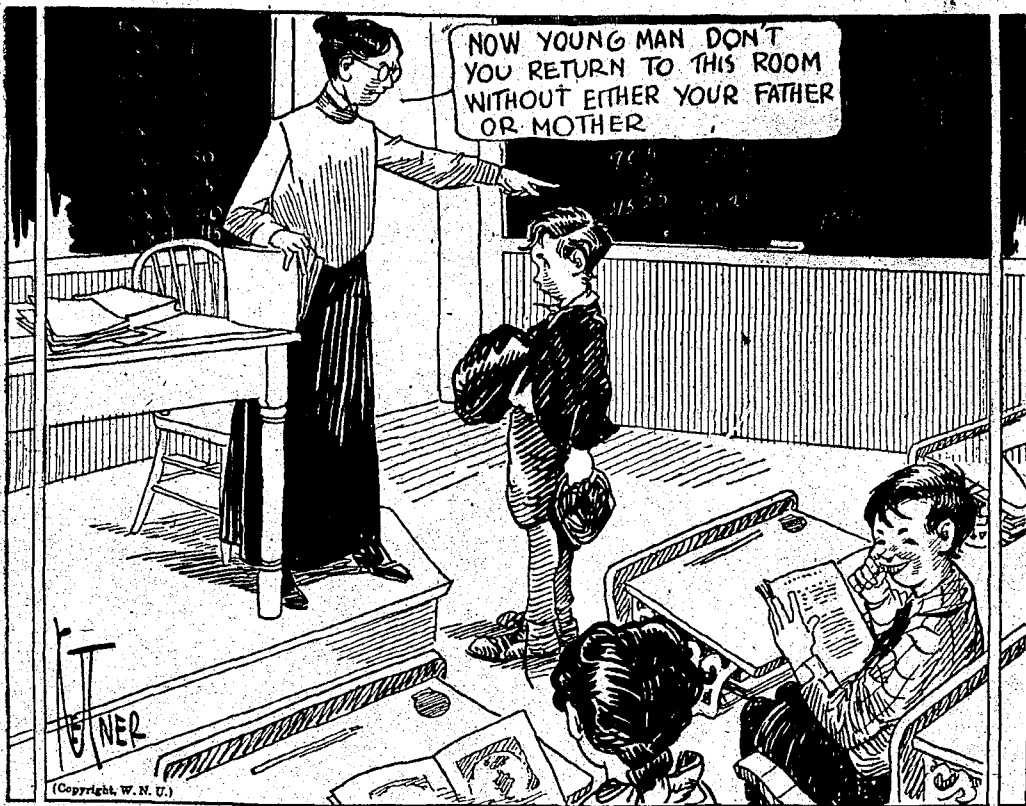




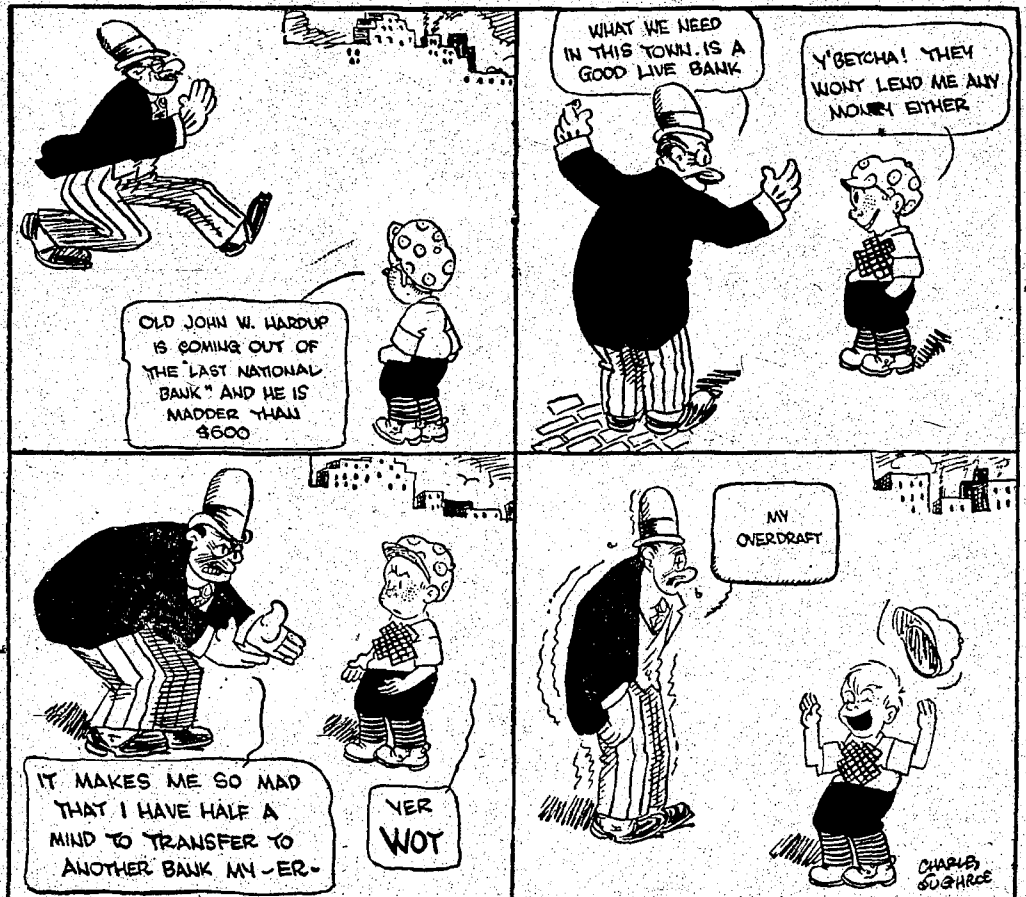


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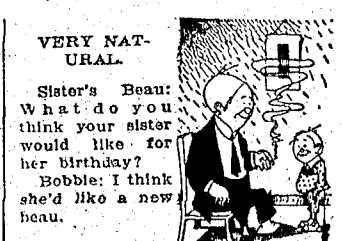
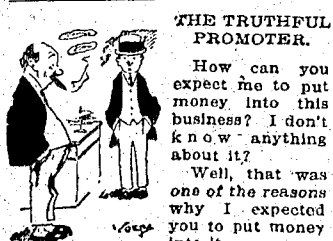
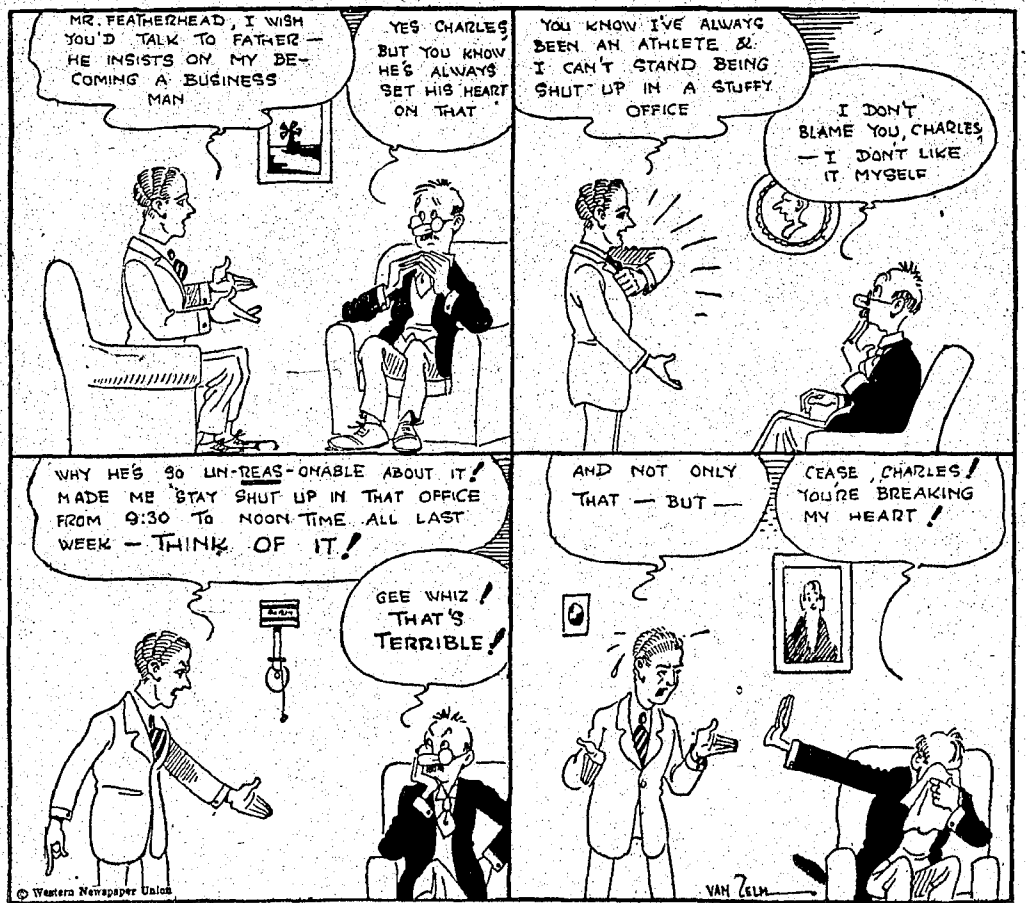
## Events in the Lives of Little Men



### A Threat



### Ironical Recognition



Waste wealth, never health.

Patience is the great buckler.

There is no smoke without fire.

## The Kitchen Cabinet

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If you wish to appear agreeable in society you must consent to be taught many things which you know already.

### TAPIOCA DISHES

Tapioca is a dessert which may safely be served to the children. It is especially inviting when combined with fruit. Take one cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of quick cooking tapioca, one-half teaspoonful of salt and three cupfuls of boiling water. Cook until the tapioca is transparent, then pour it into a well-greased baking dish and cover the top with peeled and quartered apples. Bake until the apples are done. Serve hot or cold with sugar and cream.

Maple Tapioca.—One may use one and one-fourth cupfuls of brown sugar with a half teaspoonful of maple flavoring if the maple sirup or sugar is not at hand; add one-half teaspoonful of salt and three cupfuls of boiling water to one-half cupful of tapioca. Cook in a double boiler after the first ten minutes of cooking and serve cold with cream.

Tapioca Custard.—Soak two-thirds of a cupful of tapioca one hour in cold water, drain, then add to four cupfuls of scalded milk and cook in a double boiler for half an hour. Beat three eggs slightly, add one-half cupful of sugar, one teaspoonful of salt, and pour on gradually the hot mixture. Turn into a buttered baking dish, add one tablespoonful of butter and bake thirty minutes in a slow oven.

Tapioca Rabbit.—Cut fine one cupful of rich cheese, add it to a pint of milk, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one level teaspoonful of mustard, red pepper to taste, and two level tablespoonfuls of quick-cooking tapioca. Cook until thick in a double boiler or chafing dish and just before serving add a well-beaten egg. Serve on toast or crackers.

Peach Tapioca.—Drain a can of peaches, sprinkle with powdered sugar and let stand one hour. To one cupful of tapioca, add three cupfuls of boiling water, one-half cupful of sugar and one-half teaspoonful of salt. Cook until the tapioca is transparent. The peach juice from the can may be used, adding enough water to make the three cupfuls of liquid. Line a mold with the peaches, fill in the tapioca and bake thirty minutes. Serve with cream.

When I was one-and-twenty I heard a wise man say, Give crowns and pounds and guineas, But not your heart away; But keep your fancy free. But I was one-and-twenty, No use to talk to me.

### GOOD THINGS IN SEASON

A drink which will keep and may be used in hot weather can be prepared now from cranberries.

Cranberry Juice.—Take five quarts of cranberries, scald them until their skins crack, then strain through a fine cloth. Make a sirup of two pounds of sugar and one quart of water, then mix all together to make four quarts. Bottle and seal and when used, fill the glass with crushed ice and pour in the juice to fill the glass.

Pineapple Cake Dessert.—In an iron spider put one cupful of brown sugar, and one-half cupful of butter. When melted lay in as many slices of pineapple as the spider will hold and cook gently for ten minutes, then pour over the following mixture: Cream one-fourth of a cupful of butter, add one cupful of sugar, two eggs, yolks and whites beaten separately, one and one-half cupfuls of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half cupful of milk and one teaspoonful of vanilla. Cook on top of the stove for one minute, then put into a hot oven for forty minutes. Turn out on a platter, cool and serve with whipped cream.

Carrot Marmalade.—Wash and scrape enough carrots when put through the meat chopper to make three cupfuls. Boil or steam until tender. Wash and peel two oranges, putting the peeling from one orange through the meat grinder and cutting the other in fine strips. Place these in water and boil until tender. To the hot carrots add four cupfuls of sugar, the juice of three lemons and orange pulp cut into bits, one cupful of water, using the water in which the orange pulp was cooked. Cook all together until the sirup is thick and the fruit is clear. Three slices of pineapple may be added in place of the orange, making a different flavored marmalade.

Fruit Salad.—Cut in halves and remove the seeds from Tokay grapes. Slice into small bits celery and firm juicy apple, combine equal parts and mix all together with French dressing. Arrange on leaves of lettuce, mixing a few broken leaves of iceberg lettuce with the other ingredients of the salad. Do not add the pepper to a French dressing until ready to serve it, as it has a tendency to separate the dressing.

Neenie Maxwell

### Famous Trotting Horse

Goldsmith Maid, the famous trotting mare, held the one mile trotting record from 1871 to 1874, taking it from Dexter in 2:17 and losing it to Rarus in 2:19 1/4. She lowered the record to 2:14 before losing it.

### Mum's the Word

She had just been kissed. "You'll pay for this!" she stormed. "I'll tell my father and he'll—" "But, dear," he started to object. "Sh! Here he comes now."

## LINGERIE IN GIFT LIST; COATS OF NOVEL FABRICS

SO FAR as femininity is concerned, this is fast becoming a silken world. From head to foot, under and outer garments of silk are encroaching on the fields of those made of other fabrics until one wonders where all the silk comes from. But all that matters is not gold and all that glitters is not silk. Processes for making artificial silk and for giving a silky luster to cotton fabrics have reached a high stage of excellence. "Imitation is sincerest flattery" and these less expensive mediums that have much of the sheen and daintiness of silk help out in answering the demand for silky clothes.

Undergarments have reached a de-

style. It is of pink crepe de chine with border of alencon lace at the top of the chemise and narrow edging of val at the bottom. Groups of fine tucks and tiny ribbon flowers finish the adornment and shoulder straps are of satin ribbon. The drawers are trimmed in the same way. A set like this, either of silk or fine cotton, is easy to make and an enviable Christmas gift.

The happy possessor of a coat made of one of those warm fabrics that rival fur can look winter in the face and even say: "Pleased to meet you." Manufacturers of these fur-like materials have woven them in the close imitations of natural furs that everyone is familiar with—but they



Matched Lingerie Set.

gree of daintiness and beauty that makes them a big factor in Christmas shopping and styles in them are varied a little from time to time. Certain colors and trimmings are promoted each season in silk lingerie and immediately copied exactly in fine and silky cotton fabrics. In silks, crepe de chine, crepe satin, radium and other lightweight weaves maintain their popularity and in cottons, batiste, fine voile, sheer dimities, cross-bar and striped patterns in one color, are used.

Both in silk and cotton lingerie, this season two or three light colors are sometimes used, appearing in applique figures or borders on garments of a

are also weaving them in novel patterns. These fabrics are supple, highly lustrous and very durable and are adaptable to this winter's styles in coats and ensemble costumes.

At the left of the picture shown here there is a good example of the warm, luxurious coats that add to the interest of styles that of novelty in material. It is made on the lines accepted for fur garments and has collar, cuffs and banding at the bottom of a fur that resembles stone marten. It is lined with plain crepe and warmly interlined. A huge and handsome button fastens it at one side and this side, fastening, completes its equip-



Two Coats for Midwinter.

ment for fortifying its wearer against the cold.

A plain weave in the same kind of velvety fabric is shown in the coat at the left. The arresting style note is an applique trimming of the same fabric in a darker color. Dred muskrat makes the cuffs and a collar which is extended into a long rafter, nine inches wide, down the entire length of the front. These coats, although they preserve the straightline silhouette, are quite wide.

A matched set, shown in the picture, is a late arrival and up-to-date in

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JULIA BOTTOMLEY.  
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### Put to Odd Uses

With certain designers, cretonne is enjoying a vogue. One favorite actress has some of her coats lined with cretonne instead of silk and cretonne panels set into some of her most formal frocks.

### Fringe Is Popular

Fringe is more than ever popular. With fur, it is high among the season's chic trimmings. Many costumes employ both fur and fringe.

### Recalls Middle Ages

Among the newer shoes seen at present is a pump reminiscent of medieval times. The likeness comes in the pointed toe, which is extremely long, though not—as in the Middle Ages—turned up at the tip.

### Buckles Worn Again

Buckles are edging their way into favor once more. They are seen chiefly on afternoon slippers, the evening slipper usually remaining plain.

## Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER

### PLAYING HORSE

Now of all the make-believe horses in the world Daddy made the best one.

He hadn't four legs, it was true. Of course that was a pity. Still, if he had four legs he wouldn't be Daddy.

So that was something to think about.

And he could make a very nice make-believe horse.

He wore a harness so beautifully.

He cantered and galloped and sometimes he almost ran away.

At least it was very hard to keep him back. You had to say "Whoa" a great many times, and pull at the harness, too.

The harness was a beautiful one. It was of many colors and it had been knitted. It was round and strong, and it had lovely jingling bells upon it, too.

Sometimes Daddy wouldn't go at all. You just had to urge him and beg him.

Once he had tried lying down. But that time he had got up again when he was given a chocolate. A



They Were Rushing Along.

lump of sugar hadn't made Daddy get up, but he grinned when he saw the chocolate, and got up at once.

It was one he particularly liked. He could tell from its shape that it had a hard center and he liked hard centers in the candies.

Then Daddy had been a beautiful horse after that.

Oh, he had given them a splendid ride—or perhaps it should have been called "run!"

Sometimes just Nancy drove him, and sometimes Nick did, and sometimes they both did together!

In any case he was a most beautiful horse.

Well, one day they were rushing along out of doors. It was a beautiful, clear, sunny day, though there was snow on the ground.

Daddy was running hard with the harness about him, and Nick and Nancy were running after him.

Sometimes he pulled them on a sleigh, but today they were just off on a most magnificent run and walk.

As they were dashing along and the bells were jingling, a horse and sleigh came along.

The horse was quite astonished by the sight of such a strange looking horse as Daddy.

For Daddy was rather a strange looking horse even though he was a very nice looking Daddy!

The horse became quite excited and almost went off the road—he went off to one side, almost backing so that the people in the sleigh had a great deal of trouble keeping it from upsetting.

But finally the horse seemed to realize that there was nothing for him to be frightened about and he calmed down and went on again.

"Well," said Nick, "I didn't think Daddy would frighten a horse."

"Neither did I," laughed Nancy.

"Ah, you see," said Daddy, "he thought if there were many more horses such as I, he would be completely put out of business."

"He has seen automobiles—queer looking things he thought them at first."

"He is used to them now."

"Then he began to see things in the air which weren't birds at all, but which actually carried people."

"And now he saw me!"

"Well, it made him feel quite frightened and nervous. But he soon calmed down again."

"He saw what a peaceful looking animal I really am!"

"Oh, Daddy," shouted Nancy, "to think that our fery steed should almost cause an upset."

"We're certainly a dashing turn-out." "We certainly are," said Nick.

"Only I hope we don't turn out any others' except ourselves," Daddy said.

### Ate All They Had

My nephew had attended a birthday party for one of his little boy friends.

Next day I asked him what they did at the party.

He replied, "We ate it all up."

### Tongue Twisters

Dolly Dorothy did do dishes dally.

Florence fried few fish Friday.

Simple silly Sally Simpson sat serenely soaking soap.

Should six sick, shell-shocked soldier shoe-sole stitchers stitch shoes soles solely?

Sickly Susan surely shot seventy-seven Saturday.

Manly Merton managed many mean miners Monday.

Foolish Fanny fried forty-four fish Friday.

Silly Susie sat sewing stockings Sunday.

Sharkey's stocking shop shows stocking shoppers shocking stocking stocks.



**BOYS  
SUITS**

Think of Buying  
Real \$10.00 Boys  
Wool Suits Dur-  
ing this Sale at---

**\$7<sup>.85</sup>**

**ALL EYES THIS WAY! IT  
TELL YOUR FRIENDS! PHONE YOUR NEIGHB**

# FRANK DREESE CUT

**Extra!**

BLEACHED  
**COTTON**  
Regular 25c Grade

**19c** Yard

**Extra!**

**GINGHAMS**  
Fine Mercerized  
Pinks, Blues, Plaids  
30c Kinds Go for

**24c** Yard

Mens Lace  
**PANTS**  
of Khaki Cloth  
Will Go at

**\$1.98**

Mens Wool  
**ARMY PANTS**  
Regulation Length  
**\$2.98**

MENS  
**High Top**  
16 in. Elk Lace boots  
will go at  
**\$7.45**

CHILDREN'S  
**Sweaters**  
All Wool and Brush  
Wool, assorted colors  
**\$1.98** And Up

**EXTRA!**

**Outing Flannel**

Blue and Pink Stripes  
Regular 23c Value at---

**18c**  
Yard

**House Dresses**

A BIG LOT OF \$3.00 HOUSE  
DRESSES WILL GO IN THIS  
BIG SALE AT---

**\$2<sup>.48</sup>**

**Boys Pants**

BIG STOCK OF KNEE  
PANTS WILL GO IN  
THIS SALE AT ONLY-

**98c**  
AND  
**\$1.48**

**Sheep Lined Coats**

HERE'S REAL GOOD  
BARGAIN FOR MEN  
WHILE THEY LAST

**\$8<sup>.95</sup>**

**Shirts and Drawers**

MENS HEAVY FLEECE  
SHIRTS AND DRAWERS  
ALL SIZES AT

**\$1<sup>.19</sup>**

**Men's Underwear**

HEAVY UNION SUITS ALL  
SIZES. THEY'LL GO IN  
THIS SALE AT

**\$1<sup>.69</sup>**

**MACKINAWS**

Men's Heavy Soo Wool  
Mackinaws Will Go in  
This Big Sale at

**\$12<sup>.85</sup>**

**Heavy Rubbers**

Mens heavy Sock or  
Shoe Rubbers Will  
Go Fast at Only

**\$1<sup>.69</sup>**

**UNDERWEAR**

For Children, Misses and Boys  
**85c, 95c, \$1.35**

*A Store-Wide Selling Event, Right*

**A Sale From End to End**

Thousands of dollars worth of merchandise tagged for the Out-Quick-Route. Prices will be low and immediate action must be taken. We have gone through the entire stocks from beginning to end, cutting the prices right and left.

This is not an ordinary sale, but a whole hearted selling event involving a great portion of our new and high quality merchandise. No matter how busy you may be at home, drop everything and be here Friday morning sharp at 9 o'clock.

*Don't miss the Opening hour by a single*

**Sale Starts  
Friday**

**NOVEMBER**

**At 9 o'clock  
Lasting 8**

**OVERCOATS**

Men, think of buying  
good overcoats during  
this sale at only---

**\$14<sup>.85</sup>**

**OVERCOATS**

Another lot of mens  
overcoats will go fast at  
the low price of

**\$16<sup>.85</sup>**

**THIS SALE WILL MAKE HUNDREDS OF NEW**

**PLAY SUITS**

"Oh Mama"  
brand grey  
outing nicely  
trimmed

**79c**

**MOTHERS**

Here's your chance  
to get little knit  
sack sets for the  
little tots at only

**\$4.98**

**BLOUSES**

Sample Silk, Long  
Sleeve Blouses, Regu-  
lar \$3.50 Kinds,

**\$1.98**

**YARN**

Home  
In Skeins,  
colors out

**\$1.98**

**Womens**

**GALOSHES**

Will Go At  
**\$3.98**

**100 Pairs**

**LADIES**

**SHOES**

\$5.50 and \$6.00 Values  
**\$2.45**  
One lot at 75c

**Blankets**

Genuine Nashua  
Wool Nap, \$5.95  
Kinds for

**\$4.95**

**Gingham**

One lot of  
25c dress  
gingham,  
FOR

**21c**

**FRANK DREESE**



# EXPERIENCE

## R TWENTY YEARS

of actual experience fits us to advise what to buy and how to use drugs.

Dispensing is a specialty with us.

**A. M. LEWIS - Druggist**

Phone 18. We aim to please.

## Locals

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1924.

Today is Thanksgiving Day.

Jacob Miller who has been employed in Grayling is now clerking in the City Restaurant.

Charles Kuehl of Saginaw is at his cottage on the AuSable for a few days hunting.

Mrs. N. P. Olson is in East Jordan visiting her son Waldemar, and family, called there owing to the illness of Mrs. Olson.

Peter Lovely and daughter Veronica spent the week end visiting in Bay City and Big Rapids. At the latter place they visited Charibelle and Richard Lovely, who accompanied them to Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mason and family are spending Thanksgiving in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan and daughter Elaine are spending Thanksgiving in Bay City.

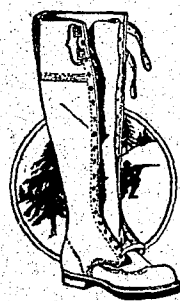
Frank Clark of Flint has joined Clark's orchestra in this city. Mr. Clark is in Grayling indefinitely owing to his ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jerome and family arrived Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bates. They will remain over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hagle who have been in Grayling the past four months at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bailey, left for Detroit enroute to Miami, Florida last week.

Last call for Christmas greeting cards. We cannot guarantee delivery in proper time after next Saturday forenoon. Our line is exclusive and no two families in Grayling will have the same design. Avalanche.

## Sturdy Shoes for Men as Shown by E. J. Olson

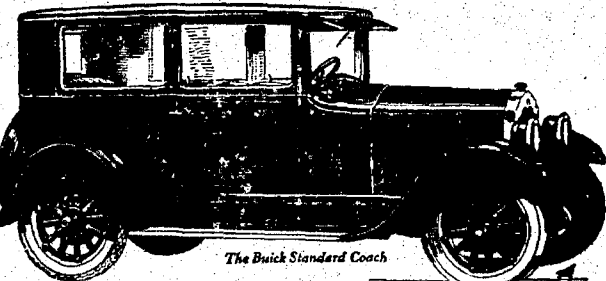


WHEN the snow falls and the great outdoors beckons you, you'll want the proper footwear. The kind we are featuring presents the twofold advantage of comfort and wear—they're the sturdy shoes that have made men come back for another pair.



**E. J. Olson**

'Headquarters for Better Shoes for less money.'



The Buick Standard Coach

**The Coach**

as Buick builds it

Has two wide doors which permit people to enter or leave the rear seat from either side without forcing front seat occupants to get out of the car. As Buick builds the Coach, it is a convenient, modern, substantial, smart-looking closed car with Body by Fisher.

And in addition to Buick's two Coaches, there are twenty-three other Buick models from which to select your Buick.

Standard Six Coach \$1295  
Master Six Coach \$1495

**Grayling Auto Sales Co.**  
Grayling, Michigan.

When better automobiles are built Buick will build them

Herman Hanson of Big Rapids spent the week end at his home.

Miss Ruth Gregory spent the week end at her home in East Jordan.

Thomas Buckley of the M. C. R. R. Bay City was a business caller in Grayling Tuesday.

Mrs. Rupert Porter of Gaylord spent Thursday in the city visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coyle have as their guest over Thanksgiving, Mrs. M. C. Coyle of Bay City.

Take no risk. Fire insurance is too cheap to be without. Phone 1112. Palmer Fire Insurance Agency.

For the pleasure of her house guest Mrs. Stephan Dorset, Mrs. L. J. Kraus entertained a few friends at tea Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Jorgenson and daughter Betty of Ypsilanti are spending Thanksgiving with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Jorgenson.

John Benore, Kathryn and Carlisle Brown spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Donald Haskill at Big Rapids. Mrs. Haskill was formerly Miss Lenabelle Struble.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson and twin sons of Johannesburg visited relatives in Grayling last Sunday. Robert Reagan and family accompanied them home in the evening.

Louis Bebb of Bay City spent the week end visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Bebb. He was accompanied by Joseph Weston of Bay City who came on business.

Anyone wishing a pretty home-made doll to remember some little boy with at Xmas time, please Phone No. 892 anytime during the forenoon or evenings.

Mrs. Joseph Morency who has been visiting her daughters and son and their families, who reside in Detroit and Pontiac, for several weeks has returned home.

The Ladies Aid society of Frederic will meet at the home of Mrs. E. McCracken, Wednesday, December 3rd at which time all members are requested to be present.

The Ladies Aid society of the Michigan Memorial church will meet with Mrs. Darveau, Friday afternoon, Dec. 5th. Will all members of the Aid try and be present.

R. P. Hardy of Cheboygan was in Grayling for a few days taking instruction from Manager E. W. Dawson of the A. & P. store. He is now student manager of a store in St. Ignace.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Canfield and Miss Jane Keyser left yesterday to spend Thanksgiving in Gladwin, guests of Mrs. Canfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Miller. Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Koyper, who are now in Cleveland will join them there.

Henry Trudo got his nose broken Saturday night when he ran into a car driven by James Knibbs, who had stopped on account of a flat tire. Both cars were slightly damaged, but Mr. Trudo was the only person injured.

Marshall A. Atkinson has purchased the late James Sweeney property on the south side, consisting of two lots and one good sized residence and one small one. This is a good piece of property and for the past year or more was owned by Capt. Hardin Sweeney of Camp Devens, Mass.

Supervisor Edward S. Houghton reports that his tax roll is completed and ready to turn over to the township treasurer just as soon as the latter has filed his bonds. This is several days, about 20 Ed. says, earlier than the tax roll has been ready in Grayling township, and perhaps the county, before.

A beautiful appointed dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coyle Thursday evening. The guests were placed at several small tables which were centered with bud vases of flowers, bouquets of roses were arranged throughout the rooms which gave a pretty setting for the party. After dinner bridge was enjoyed. Mrs. R. H. Gillett and Charles Tromble holding the highest scores.

Mrs. C. M. Morfit was the guest of honor at a very pleasant affair given by the Good Fellowship club at the home of Mrs. Charles Coyle Tuesday evening. Mrs. Morfit has been a member of the club for some time and the occasion was given in appreciation of the splendid work by her as a member.

Announcements have been received by Grayling friends of the marriage on Wednesday, November 26th of Miss Gertrude M. Charron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arfield Charron of Flint to Mr. Vernon W. Dakins. The Charron family were former residents of Grayling.

E. J. Rittenburch of Fletcher, who was arrested on a charge preferred by Game Warden Rueben S. Babbitt, for killing a doe, in violation of the game laws, demanded a jury trial. Thursday was set for the trial before Justice Kraus, but jury finding Rittenburch to be guilty. He was sentenced to pay fine and costs amounting to \$71.25.

The State papers the latter part of the week contained accounts of the fatal death of Mrs. Leon Charron of Grand Rapids, wife of a former Grayling boy, and the son of H. Charron, an old resident of Grayling. Mrs. Charron driving her automobile crashed into a moving train at Grand Rapids and died a short time after of injuries received. The husband and four small children survive.

The Avalanche is in receipt of a letter from Belling Hanson Company informing us that the Board of Directors of that Company have resolved to notify all water consumers that from June 1st, 1925, they will discontinue to furnish the Village with water unless some suitable arrangement can be made with the Village council. We believe this matter is being considered by the Village council. Property owners are deeply interested in this matter and will expect the Village council to adopt some plan whereby the Village may be assured of fire protection. Without such protection Grayling will change from a fourth class fire risk to sixth class, and where the residence rate on normal risks is now 66 cents per \$100 for three years, it will then be 85 cents. All other property will be effected in proportion. No doubt the Council realizes that matter should not be delayed until the eleventh hour, as it effects everyone living in the Village.

T. P. Peterson left Tuesday night for Grand Ledge on business in the interest of the Grayling Box Co.

Mrs. George Clise and son Kenneth left Saturday for Bay City and Flint to visit relatives over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Barber of Chicago are visiting the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barber of Frederic.

Mrs. Rosanna Case returned last week from a several weeks visit in the southern part of the state.

James Bowen returned the first of the week from the Upper Peninsula, having filled his deer license as usual.

Ed. McRae of Bay City and Earl Stafford of Boyne City were callers at the home of E. G. Clark this week.

There will be a regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 on Wednesday evening Dec. 3rd.

Walter Jorgenson has been at his sub-division near Toledo for several weeks past, assisting in the sale of lots.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Feldhauser in Maple Forest township on November 23rd.

Frank Smith of West Branch spent a few days last week visiting his daughters Mrs. Frank Tetu and Miss Colette Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Letzkus entertained a few friends at dinner last Thursday evening, the party enjoying "500" afterward.

In honor of her husband's birthday anniversary, Mrs. Adolph Peterson entertained twelve guests at dinner last Thursday evening.

Elgie Parker, who is employed at the Model bakery is spending the week visiting his brother Cecil Parker and family in Gaylord.

Mrs. Johnson, mother of Arnold and William Johnson, who makes her home with the latter suffered a slight stroke of paralysis Sunday evening.

Most of the local school teachers left during yesterday for their homes or elsewhere to spend the Thanksgiving vacation.

H. A. Clemensen and family expect to occupy rooms above Burke's Garage soon, having had their furniture moved here from Bay City this week.

Wayne Ewalt accompanied his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ewalt to Belding yesterday, where they will spend Thanksgiving with relatives and remain until the end of the week.

Some person by mistake took my brown pair of rubbers at the Masonic meeting Saturday night. Whoever has them please return them.

Mrs. Rosa Sweeney, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Simpson in Detroit, since leaving Grayling has gone to Boston to visit her son Captain Hardin C. Sweeney for a time.

Miss Anna Peterson will go to Gaylord the latter part of the week to accept a position in the Harold VanBuren print shop. The latter recently purchased the business of Frank Weber at that place.

St. Mary's Altar society will meet next Thursday, December 4th at the home of Mrs. St. Pierre. Mrs. Dela-Mater and Mrs. E. Kunkle will assist Mrs. St. Pierre. The meeting is being held on the first instead of third Thursday in December in order to complete Christmas arrangements.

The W. R. C. Ladies spent a social afternoon Friday at the home of Mrs. Hans Petersen. Five hundred served as the pastime during the afternoon. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Earl Dawson, Mrs. Adler Jorgenson, Mrs. John Mathiesen and Mrs. John Isenbauer. A pot luck lunch was enjoyed later in the afternoon. This was the last social meeting of the W. R. C. ladies.

John Mulanger, Paul Leany and Joe Mulanger were convicted in Justice Kraus' court Tuesday forenoon on a charge of having molested an automobile. They were arrested by Sheriff Jorgenson and Deputy Ralph Hanna. The former two were sentenced to imprisonment in the county jail for ten days and Joe Mulanger 15 days. It appears from the evidence that Frank Millikin and family were driving their Ford car on M 14, near the Mrs. John Love residence, when a car bearing an Ohio license struck them, partly wrecking the car. The Ohio car did not stop to ascertain if there was any damage or anyone hurt but instead drove right along. The Millikin car could not be run and Mr. Millikin took his wife and children to the Mrs. John Love home and during the time he was away some person or persons almost stripped the car of everything that could be detached. Two tires, both cushions, horn, motorometer, tools and other things were stolen. This was all done within a half hour and when Millikin returned and found what had happened he returned to the Love home for assistance. When he returned again to the car he found the two Mulangers and Leany with their auto backed up to the wreck and seemed to be in the act of removing the battery from the wrecked car. It is quite the opinion of the officers that they were the same persons that robbed the car the first time. In the trial Mulanger was asked how it happened that he was under the Millikin car with a wrench, and he replied that when passing there that morning on his way to Frederic he dropped a wrench but concluded not to stop for it but would get it when he returned. His story, said the Justice, was hard to believe, and he found the young men guilty. All three are now serving time in the county jail.

### NOTICE

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. P. church of Frederic will hold a bazaar at the town hall, Saturday, December 6th. Aprons a specialty intermixed with many other necessities. There will be many bargains you will miss by not attending this sale.

### Man's Horsepower

Compared with other motors, a laboring man has been rated by French investigators as having about one-seventh horsepower and an efficiency of 80 per cent.

## This Store is Headquarters for--

# RUBBERS

—first quality only—every style for Ladies, Men and Children.

**4 BUCKLE ARCTICS, Zippers, and Sheba Gaiters for Women.**

**MEN'S FELT KNIT SHOES, Leather Mitts and Wool Mitts—Everything to keep you warm and dry.**

**Grayling Mercantile Company**  
The Quality Store

**NEW BOOK-CADILLAC HOTEL**  
Detroit, Michigan, November—Thunder storms to order, winter or summer, day or night, are to be instantly available in the unique Italian Garden on the ball room floor of the Book-Cadillac hotel, scheduled to open the first day in December.

Jagged flashes of lightning and the crash of thunder will accompany the shriek of the storm, only to be succeeded by the perfect imitation of a clear Italian sky studded with stars, or the midday rays of a bright summer sun.

The equipment of this garden is only one of the ways in which the mechanical genius of modern-day builders and architects has asserted itself in the construction of the Book-Cadillac hotel. The special glass roof of the Italian Garden and the installation of electrical apparatus gives to the room the perfect representation of an outdoor garden. Sunlight, a clouded sky and quiet twilight can all be perfectly reproduced at will.

The mechanical equipment of the 1200 room hotel is housed in two entire basement, part of another subterranean room, the entire sixth floor and the roof towers. Despite the large number of machines necessary to the equipment of the building, noise has been kept to an absolute minimum by mounting all the machines on cork mats and also by the extensive use of "Maxim" silencers.

An elaborate ventilating system will keep the hotel from the lowest sub-basement to the thirty-second story flooded with fresh air. Every hour a total of 1600 tons of air will be supplied to and from the building.

All public rooms of the hotel are refrigerated by the means of the one hundred ton capacity refrigerating machines in the basement. The air to the main rooms is cooled by drawing it through a mist of chilled water and the pipes leading to the rooms are insulated with cork. During the summer months an even temperature ranging from 72 to 75 degrees can be maintained in the public rooms.

A complete pneumatic tube system operates through the entire hotel, facilitating the distribution of mail and helping to speed up service. Supplementing the tube system is the teletype equipment, which consists of a battery of electric typewriters. A message written on one floor is almost instantaneously reproduced on the machine of another designated floor.

In all public rooms provision is made for the reception or broadcasting of speeches or music, and throughout the hotel the main corner suites are also equipped to receive radio entertainment at the desire of the guests.

Every electrical device to be found in the modern metropolitan theater is included in the special equipment of the grand ball room which has accommodations for 1000 diners. A temporary stage and drop curtain, as well as special lighting equipment, will make possible the production of entertainment calling for the most elaborate scenery.

**RICHMOND'S LIVER ELIXIR**  
Contains 25 percent Alcohol  
**GREAT BLOOD AND LIVER CORRECTOR**  
**TRY IT!**  
DOSE: ONE TEASPOONFUL  
PREPARED BY HAZELINE & PERKINS DRUG CO. GRAND RAPIDS  
**Price 50 Cents**

For Sale by  
**A. M. Lewis**

**ENGRAVED GREETING CARDS**  
For Christmas & New Year  
These cards are now in very general use in polite circles and of course are greatly to be preferred over the time worn, garish styles of the past.  
We are now displaying an unusually attractive line, also a stylish display of  
**MONOGRAM STATIONERY**  
In Plain or Gift Boxes

**AVALANCHE PHONE 1112**

FOR HARCOURT & CO. LEADING ENGRAVERS

## OUR BULLETIN "The Busy Shoppers Guide"



### Dinnerware for Thanksgiving

We have a big selection of European and American Semi-Porcelain right now. Ask to see our special 40 piece dinner set at—

**\$4.50**

Weather Strips, Dunhams metal strips for windows and doors. Keeps Cold Out and pays for itself in fuel saved. Install it yourself, hammer and scissors only tools used. Per foot—

**10c**

Domes of Silence, better than castors, once on furniture, stays and lasts the life time of the furniture and will not get out of order. Gives protection to floors and rugs, are the perfect footwear for furniture, per set of 4—

**10c**

Window Ventilators. Our ventilator promotes the circulation of pure clean air without draft, made for living rooms, dining rooms and bedrooms. Medium size, each—

**60c**

Kalkome costs no more than ordinary Kalkome but does more, it is so much better in appearance and wear that there can be no comparison. It never cracks, chips, peels or rubs off. Comes in many beautiful shades, price per 5 lb. pkg.—

**62c**

These prices stand good until our next bulletin is issued next week.

**SORENSEN BROS.**

"The Home of Dependable Furniture"

### Furniture Specials

from our stock

Center Stand, Golden Oak, 24x24 top, **\$2.95**

Buffet, Golden Oak, Colonial, **\$29.98**

Stool, revolving wood seat, **\$1.98**

Sofa, overstuffed in tapestry, latest design, **\$39.90**

Electric Heater takes the chill from the nursery, sewing room and bath— **\$7.48**







'S COMING FRI., NOV. 28  
ORS! COME YOURSELF! 9 A. M. SHARP

## HEAVY FLEECY BLANKETS

THEY'LL GO FAST IN THIS BIG SALE AT FOLLOWING EXTREMELY LOW PRICES---

\$2.69 \$2.98 \$3.48

# S LOOSE

# IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

ht in the Heart of the season.

When The Bells Ring 9 O'clock,

Friday morning November 28th., the great new stock of Frank Dreese's Store swings into a Gigantic Sale' an event that has the confidence of the entire community. A sale that for down right value-giving stands out alone in the career of this store. Some of the finest goods this store has ever offered will move out quickly under the action of extremely low cut sale prices. The people of this community know that every promise that Frank Dreese makes is fulfilled. Starting Friday morning we promise you something unusual. We expect hundreds of people here from every street in Grayling. There'll be Bargains Galore in every department.

second, it's going to be a Real Sale.

## OVERCOATS

A fine range of finer mens overcoats will go in this sale at only

\$22.00

## OVERCOATS

Here's all the very latest overcoats, powdered blues, all new models, they'll go fast at---

\$24.00

## NEW FRIENDS FOR THIS POPULAR STORE

<b>LADIES</b> Angora wool <b>Gloves</b> GAUNTLET STYLE \$1.25, \$1.48	<b>Girls School</b> <b>SHOES</b> Low Rubber Heels, "Peters" Make, \$3.98	<b>LADIES PUMPS</b> AND PARTY <b>SLIPPERS</b> Patent, satin and new buck \$3.69
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<b>MENS</b> <b>Rubbers</b> For Dress Shoes Goodrich Brand \$1.35	<b>TABLE</b> <b>Oilcloth</b> Marble, white or colors. Best grade 35c yard	<b>BOYS</b> <b>Overcoats</b> Will Go At Only \$6.45	<b>YOUNG MENS</b> <b>Dress Pants</b> Blue and Brown Strips at \$3.69, \$4.69
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THE HILL **GRAYLING**

Extra!

PINK TEASELDOWN, PLAIN  
COLORS, PINK, BABY BLUE,  
GREY, WHITE. 32c values,  
32c out it goes at

22c

**Ladies Coats** \$11.45  
One Lot of Ladies  
Coats Will go in this  
Big Sale at Only

**LADIES COATS** \$19.50  
Think of it, Fur Col-  
lar Coats will Go in  
this sale while they  
last---

HOME SPUN SOCKS!

MENS ALL WOOL HOME SPUN SOCKS  
WHITE, GREY, OR RED TOES, OUT  
THEY GO,

69c  
2 PAIRS \$1.25

**LADIES HOSE!** \$1.19

SILK AND WOOL A LARGE  
ASSORTMENT WHILE  
THEY LAST

**MENS PANTS** \$4.45

Plain Grey all Wool

Heavy Weight \$5.50 Grades go for

**MENS PANTS** \$3.35  
Heavy Wool Mixed  
Kerseys, Strips, Out  
They Go,

**MENS PANTS** \$6.75

HEAVY SOO WOOL THERE IS NO-  
THING BETTER DURING THIS SALE---

L-A-D-I-E-S S-I-L-K H-O-S-E

Will Go In This Sale At

85c, 98c, \$1.25

Extra!

**APRONS**

Regular \$1.35 They'll go  
Fast at

\$1.19

One lot goes at 98c

EXTRA!

Bed Room

S-L-I-P-P-E-R-S

Assorted Colors. Best  
\$1.00 Kinds at

85c

**MENS**  
**JERSEY GLOVES**

Heavy Weight at

19c

Wool Gloves 88c pr.

**SWEATERS**

For Growing Girls good  
quality, Out they go at

\$2.98

LADIES

**Hosiery**

ONE BIG LOT OF LADIES  
HOSE AT ONLY

29c

Mens

**Wool Caps**

FUR BANDS, Go For

\$1.50

\$3.00 Kinds At \$1.98



## FROM PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

Mrs. Bradford Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Phoebe, Virginia.—"Having this opportunity I just cannot refrain from saying a word of praise for the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have used them as occasion required for twenty years, and my three sisters have used them, and always with most gratifying results. During the Change of Life I had the usual distressing symptoms—hot flashes, insomnia, etc., and I am pleased to testify to the wonderful results I obtained from the Vegetable Compound. I heartily recommend it to any woman and I will be pleased to answer any inquiries that might be sent to me through the publication of my testimonial."—Mrs. H. L. BRADFORD, 109 Armistead Street, Phoebus, Virginia.

Consider carefully Mrs. Bradford's letter. Her experience ought to help you. She mentions the trials of middle age and the wonderful results she obtained from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you are suffering from nervous troubles, irritability, or if other annoying symptoms appear and you are blue at times, you should give the Vegetable Compound a fair trial. For sale by druggists everywhere.

### In the Garden

Calvin Sandborne, the efficiency engineer of Sioux City, said in an address before the Sioux City Rotarians:

"All our boasted modern inventions are really very ancient. Mother since the beginning of time have employed a wireless system more efficient than our own. Our skyscrapers are wonderful, but the old Egyptian temples are more wonderful still. As for the loose leaf system, it was first employed in the Garden of Eden."

### Boschee's Syrup

Alleviates irritation, soothes and heals throat and lung inflammation. The constant irritation of a cough keeps the delicate mucus membrane of the throat and lungs in a congested condition, which BOSCHEE'S SYRUP gently and quickly heals. For this reason it has been a favorite household remedy for colds, coughs, bronchitis and especially for lung troubles in millions of homes all over the world for the last fifty-eight years, enabling the patient to obtain a good night's rest, free from coughing with easy expectation of the morning. You can buy BOSCHEE'S SYRUP wherever medicines are sold.—Adv.

### The Busy Flaggman

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## The DAIRY

### BREEDING COWS FOR WINTER PRODUCTION

We read in the Bible of the wise virgin and the foolish one. We can apply this story to our dairy business. The wise dairyman breeds his cows in November and December, the foolish one in the summer months.

As a result the wise dairyman has a heavy flow of milk in September, October and through the winter months when the price is at its highest. The foolish dairyman's cows freshen in the spring, when the price is always at its lowest. He believes that he gets cheaper milk because he can just turn them out on the grass in the spring, whereas in the fall he has to feed them all winter long. This is another example of false economy in the dairy business.

The dairyman who has his cows freshen in the fall will have a good winter occupation. He will be employed at that time of the year when milk is high and when he has little else to do. His cows will be dry in the hot summer months when he will have to devote a great share of his time to irrigating, caring for and harvesting his crop; in fact this system works admirably.

Now is the time to breed the cows for production next fall. I am acquainted with a man who is not milking any of his cows now. He is literally poverty stricken and owes heavily at the bank. In the same locality is another man who has practically the same number of cows, and they are all fresh. They will be dry next summer.

This is one of the hundred little things that go to make success in dairying—one of the little things that the prosperous farmer does not overlook.

Systematize your breeding operations so as to have the cows freshen in the fall.—H. R. Lascelles, Field Man for the Colorado State Dairy Commissioner.

### Use Grain Mixture That Adds Weight to Calves

The dairy division at University farm, Minnesota, has been conducting some experimental work whereby the dairyman who sells whole milk may find a solution for calf feeding problems. The results of the experiments indicate that calves can be raised successfully on a grain mixture of four parts ground corn, one part linseed meal, one part bran, and a legume roughage—alfalfa hay—after being weaned from their milk diet at the early age of 50 to 60 days.

The hay and grain should be placed before the calves when they are very young, the object being to get them started on dry feed as soon as possible and to give them all the feed of this kind they will clean up. Best results are obtained by feeding the hay and grain in about equal quantities.

One of the calves in these experiments was weaned at the age of 60 days and thereafter fed grain mixture and alfalfa hay. At the end of the trial this calf weighed 377 pounds and was 10.1 per cent normal. Another calf weaned at the age of 45 days was raised on 401 pounds of milk and a grain mixture and alfalfa hay. At 158 days old it weighed 335 pounds and was 106.3 per cent normal.—Minnesota College of Agriculture.

### Richest Milk Is Always Last Drawn From Udder

The first milk given by a cow generally tests under 1 per cent, while the last milk drawn from the udder may contain as much as 10 per cent. Just why this is has never been scientifically demonstrated and the supposition that the cream rises to the top of the udder as it does after the milk has been drawn is just as logical as any other reason that might be given.

It is a fact, however, that the richest milk is always the last drawn from the udder in milking and for this reason a thorough job of milking should be done and the cows milked dry.

### Dairying Facts

Calves need regular feeding if they are to make regular gains.

Cows should be given a chance to show whether they will respond to better feeding. If they don't show an increase—at a profit—then it is time to look for better cows to take their places.

The bull should not be allowed to run with the cows. Allowed to do so, he may overtake one cow and greatly injure his powers for service. One service each heat period suffices. More are unnecessary and overtax the bull.

Up to the time that the calf is six months old, silage should be sparingly fed.

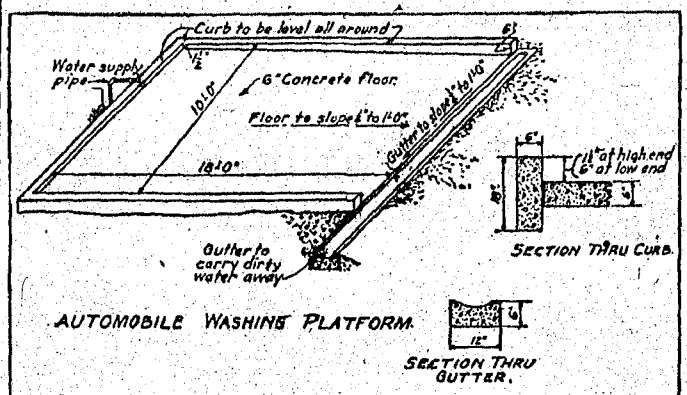
If cows are permitted to stand in the stable a few minutes after they come in to be milked they will give more milk and not be as nervous.

A successful milk substitute for young calves, consisting of a mixture of twelve parts of beef blood with one part each of cornmeal and oatmeal, has been devised by the Indiana experiment station.

In feeding silage it should be borne in mind that one pound of hay is, under average conditions, equal to three pounds of silage; so if a cow is fed thirty pounds of silage daily, it will replace ten pounds of hay.

The "nurse" cows that one sees at the fairs are an eloquent tribute to the worth of the dairy cow. It seems a trifle extravagant for a man to keep two cows to raise one calf. The calf's mother can't feed the youngster and she gives nothing to help the milk check.

## ARRANGING GARAGE TO KEEP THE CAR CLEAN



Part of Garage That Will Help Keep Car Clean.

As a usual thing, as soon as the automobile owner receives a new car, fresh and shining from the factory, he at once makes a resolution to see that the glossy coat of varnish on its sparkling sides receives the proper care so that he will save the expense of frequent painting jobs. Too often his good resolutions come to grief after a few attempts at washing the car in the home garage. Home garages are not always an ideal place for car washing. In the first place, it is a hopeless task unless the garage has been equipped with concrete floor, and even then unless it is considerably larger than is usual, there is so little clearance between the garage walls and the car that the whole car can only be covered with considerable difficulty. Moreover, the problem of getting adequate light is troublesome. The obvious solution of all the difficulties is an apron or washing platform built out in front of the garage where there is plenty of room as well as plenty of light. Such pavements are not expensive and provide many other advantages besides making an ideal place for washing and doing minor repairs. The children will soon make the clean concrete paved area the center of their play-ground activities and it will be found as much used for hobby horse races and marble tournaments as for changing spare tires or washing off the car. All danger of a back-yard mudhole is eliminated and the ticklish job of backing in and out of the garage is made easy.

**Building a Platform.** It is, of course, easier to build such a platform at the time the garage floor is laid. But the job can be done satisfactorily at any time without much more expense. Such platforms are usually made not less than ten feet wide and eighteen feet long, which provides ample room to work freely any place around the average sized car without moving it. The pavement should be given a slope of about a quarter of an inch per foot so that it will drain readily. The slope may be all in one direction with a gutter at the lower side to carry the water away, or, if desired, it may be made to slope in from all sides to a drain in the center which is connected to the sewer and is provided with a clean-out trap to catch the mud and dirt which is washed off of the car.

The concrete should be placed in a single course and the ground which it covers should first be smoothed off evenly and dirt tamped firmly in any low places. A course of gravel or cinders should be placed over the dirt and tamped firmly into place and the concrete placed directly on it. The six-inch thickness will be found ample strength so that it will not be injured by heavy coal wagons or trucks.

It is possible to mix the concrete rapidly enough to place the entire job at one time. The pavement may be laid all in one piece without joints. In case, however, a mixer is not available or the builder does not have the equipment to finish a piece of concrete of this size, it may just as well be placed in sections that are of a convenient size to be filled and finished by hand.

A five or six-foot square is about the most convenient size for hand mixing and finishing and the job may thus be done at odd times by the owner himself. The squares should be marked off and a two-inch plank firmly staked

on edge on all sides of the square so that the top is just level with the finished pavement. The squares are filled in checkerboard fashion, that is, in alternate sections, so that it is possible to work around on all sides of the square in finishing it. It is then unnecessary to use forms for all sides of the job to serve as forms.

The concrete should be mixed in the proportions of one part portland cement to two parts of clean sand and three parts of crushed stone or clean, screened pebbles. The ingredients should be mixed thoroughly and only enough water used to make a quaky or jelly-like mass. Too much water tends to weaken the concrete. If mixing is done by hand care should be used to see that it is thorough, so that all particles receive an even coating of cement.

### English Are Better in Balloon Tires



Mr. L. Nuttall of Goodmayes, England, assembling his invention of a better balloon tire. The inner tube, an inch thick, takes a tremendous pressure, and is the full size of the wheel down to the drum or hub flange. Steel discs fit over the sides to the rim bolts. Note the spares hanging on the rack.

**Automobile Facts**

Auto manufacturers are reporting an increased demand for balloon tires.

Every little while one sees a report of an accident caused by a bee getting into the automobile. Why doesn't some necessary dealer bring out a bee swatter?

## MAKING GOOD IN A SMALL TOWN

Real Stories About Real Girls

By MRS. HARLAND H. ALLEN

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### GROWING CATS FOR CASH

THOSE aristocrats of outdoor, the Persian, Angora and Siamese cats, are good means for making money. A natural love for the dumb beauties, a willingness to treat them as if they had brains and feelings, and just a little capital with which to buy a lady puss—these are the only requirements any girl needs for a fair start in the business of raising them.

"The cat raiser's main considerations," says a girl who specializes in the breeding of the Siamese variety, "are care as to selection of foundation stock, which must be free and healthy, care as to cleanliness and care as to feeding."

"I give my animals fresh raw beef twice a day, with the heaviest feed in the morning. I see that they have access to plenty of water at all times. I give a patent cat-food every other day, and milk not more than three times a week. And I see that both cats and kittens have plenty of sunlight and exercise."

Every queen (the kennel term for female) deserves a good comfortable bed, where she can stretch out comfortably, and can lie down when nursing her kittens. Catnip, to be eaten or rolled in at will, is a nice luxury in the cat world. If there are more than one queen, they should be fed separately, or the ones which eat most slowly will lose out on the food, and their offspring may suffer. If the grower can afford to own her own male cat, she will not be troubled by rats or strange cats.

There will be at least eight kittens a year from each female. When a cat's babies number only four, she can rear them herself. But when there are six, the grower will have to search her neighborhood for a common cat, whose kittens are the same age as her own cat's babies.

The Siamese or "Royal Cat of Siam" is probably most difficult of all to get, and most expensive. But it is both beautiful and intelligent, and a Siamese mother cat with her kittens will attract attention anywhere. At birth, the kittens are pure white, and look like baby cats of lowly birth; but after a time, their faces, ears, legs, feet and pads and tail become dark chocolate, the body always remaining white.

When the kittens are a cute age, the best advertisement they can have will be exhibition with their mother in the home-town drug store windows, and the druggist will be benefited by the trade-attracting novelty. The grower may dispose of her pets to pet stock stores, as well as to private individuals. Both playful kits and proud queens practically sell themselves.

### THE COOK CASHES IN

MOST everybody likes to eat. "And," says a girl who has capitalized her knowledge of that fact, "the woman who's a 'tip-top' cook can always be independent."

"That natural womanly ability to transfer raw 'groceries' into luscious edibles can be used to captivate cash," she declares. "I inclined pie-ward at the start, and I am still known as the 'pie lady.' But there is no reason why one couldn't branch out if one cared to."

All the "tip-top" cook needs in order to succeed in this "homey" line is: her own kitchen as a workshop; probably a few more utensils than she is accustomed to using, and sufficient ingredients, preferably purchased at wholesale, for the concoctions she has in mind. Add one small boy to make deliveries, and she is prepared to fill many orders.

Jellies and preserves are one popular choice of the commercial cook. The woman who decides on her as her forte might prefer to her home workshop, in advertising, as a "Jelly Kitchen." Marmalades and candied fruits make good accompaniments for the jellies and preserves.

Cruellers, cookies, doughnuts and cakes are other "best sellers," and make good specialties, either together or separately. The cake-concentrator is found quite often, but she should take care not to let mediocrity claim her cakes, for the inclination of the cake-maker is sometimes to let originality go by the board. She should try the "filled" cakes or "Washington pies," almost always a success with something toothsome between the layers. Lard cake should be rich enough to keep for days when enmeshed in icing. Fruit cake is salable, but pork cake, eggless, is economical and is more palatable than a dry butter and egg fruit cake. Fancy cakes, plain cakes with fancy frostings, for holidays, birthdays and, above all, weddings, will keep the cake-lady busy.

A bit more out of the ordinary than jellies, cakes, pies, candies, cookies, doughnuts, and the like, are hot tamales—but they're an excellent specialty, easy to make and easy to sell. The net "trick of the trade" for the cook to practice is keeping the preparation of her concoctions down to relatively small quantities. Preparation in huge quantities will lose the products that much-acclaimed "home taste." Such phrases as "personally cooked," "home cooked" and "like mother used to make" will spell success for the tip-top cook.

### Field Hockey Popular

Field Hockey among school girls is growing in popularity. From two Philadelphia associations in 1921 the United States Field Hockey association has a membership of seven Quaker City schools, and also now includes branches in New York, Chicago, Baltimore, Worcester and Greenwich. With knowledge gained by the English coaching system it will not be long before the All-American eleven will be able to hold its own abroad.

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**All Electrically Hauled**  
For the past 16 years all trains passing through the St. Clair tunnel that connects Sarnia, Ontario, with Port Huron, Mich., have been hauled by electric locomotives. As electricity could not be purchased when this tunnel was constructed, a special electric generating plant was built; but since 1920 this plant has been shut down and electricity for operating has been bought from a Detroit electric service company.

**If You Need a Medicine You Should Have the Best—Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root**

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited to those who are in need of it.

A prominent druggist says, "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy has so large a sale."

According to sworn statements and verified testimony of thousands who have used the preparation, the success of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is due to the fact, so many people claim, that it fulfills almost every wish in overcoming kidney, liver and bladder ailments, corrects urinary troubles and neutralizes the uric acid which causes rheumatism.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-Root by parcel post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention this paper. Large and medium size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Advertisement.

**Aged Apple Trees**  
The apple tree is the longest-lived of American fruit trees. In many parts of the East it is not unusual to find trees healthy and bearing fruit at the age of 100 years.

**Cuticura Soap for the Complexion.**  
Nothing better than Cuticura Soap daily and Ointment now and then as needed to make the complexion clear, scalp clean and hands soft and white. Add to this the fascinating, fragrant Cuticura Talcum, and you have the Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Advertisement.

**The Next Step**  
"I told him I didn't want to see him any more!" "What did he do then?" "Turned the light out!"

*Most headaches due to lack of internal cleanliness*

WHEN you are constipated, poisons form in the accumulated food waste and are carried to all parts of the body. Headaches follow. Biliousness, insomnia, lack of energy, all result from constipation, which if unchecked will lead to serious results.

### Avoid Laxatives—Say Doctors

A noted authority says that laxatives and cathartics do not overcome constipation, but by their continued use tend only to aggravate the condition.

Medical science has found in **lubrication** a means of overcoming constipation. The gentle lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage through and out of the body. Thus, Nujol brings internal cleanliness.

Nujol is used in leading hospitals and is prescribed by physicians throughout the world. Nujol is not a medicine or laxative, and cannot gripe. Like pure water, it is harmless.

Take Nujol regularly and adopt this habit of internal cleanliness. For sale by all druggists.

**Nujol**

For Internal Cleanliness

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## FARM BUREAU NOTES

R. D. BAILEY  
County Agricultural Agent

### Finishing.

The third car of tuberculosis cattle was shipped from Grayling Saturday, Nov. 22.

The next and last car will be shipped from Grayling Nov. 29.

In all there were found 85 tuberculous cattle in Crawford county.

The doctors have finished their work and have gone.

A second test will be made in the spring.

It will pay everyone, owning cattle, to clean the barn thoroughly; then to scrub with scalding water and concentrated lye; then spray with a disinfectant.

This applies to every farmer, whether he lost cattle by tuberculosis or not.

Germs of tuberculosis are too small to be seen with naked eye. They can't be scraped off with the barn shovel.

Some who put off this cleaning up or who clean up in a careless way are going to live to regret it.

The doctors tested 217 herds; 1534 cattle found 95 reactors, 82 infected herds. Percentage of reactors was six and two-tenths per cent.

Otsego County.

Otsego county tested 4855 cattle; found 219 reactors. Their per cent of loss was 4.51, or a shade more than four and one-half per cent.

In one township there was the loss ran to 9 per cent. In one township in which 99 cattle were tested no reactors were found. One farm out of every five in Otsego county had reactors.

Crawford County averaged very nearly one farm in every four having reactors.

Getting Their Money.

Everyone has received a check for the carcass value of cattle shipped from Grayling Nov. 5.

Checks are now being given out for cattle shipped from Frederic on Nov. 12.

Purebred Bull Free.

The New York Central Lines has a fine registered purebred Holstein bull that they will loan to the right farmer in Crawford county, free.

The bull is right in the prime of life. Action will have to be taken quickly, or the bull will be loaned to another county. This will be a splendid chance for some farmer who believes in purebred stock, who could not raise the \$200 to \$300 to purchase an animal like this.

This will be a splendid test whether the farmers really want better blood in their stock or not. See the county agent for particulars.

Lime.

Who wants to go in on a car of splendid, fine agricultural limestone at the lowest rate ever offered up? Shipped from Afton, just east of Indian River.

A lot of us are never going to get very much off the farm until we lime to grow larger crops of legumes—clover, alfalfa, sweet clover. Many thousands of other farmers have found liming necessary. We badly need it on most farms here. See the County agent at once so we can have car come to haul lime home on first sleighing.

Not Quitting.

Although Henry Ford has withdrawn his offer to lease the power and to purchase certain property from the government, at Muscle Shoals, for the purpose of manufacturing cheaper fertilizer, the American Farm Bureau does not propose to give up the fight to have this power used for the purpose of making cheaper fertilizer.

The Wall Street Journal of October 22 shows how glad Chile is that Ford withdrew his offer, because so much of our fertilizer comes from Chile that if Ford had been allowed to develop Muscle Shoals for the American farmers' good, it would have spoiled a very soft snap for Chile.

Read the extract:

"Santiago, Chile—Henry Ford's withdrawal of his offer to take over the Muscle Shoals project has resulted in a considerable boom in the Chilean Nitrate industry. Chile is the greatest nitrate producer in the world and the United States is her principal customer. With Ford in control of Muscle Shoals, an announced program of making vast quantities of nitrates from the air, Chilean producers saw ruin ahead of them."

"Nitrate shares in London rose from 2 to 3 points as soon as news of withdrawal of the Ford offer was received."

"Although the dispatch says the Chileans saw ruin facing them if Muscle Shoals is used to make cheap fertilizers for the farmers, the facts will not come out. True, it would shift the tax burden from the backs of American farmers to the Chileans, but the industry could afford to do away with the tax if modern methods of obtaining nitrates were employed by them. A more modern method of taxation would be a blessing to the country, and some of its high officials freely admit it."

"What the Farm Bureau has done in the past on this project is by no means lost, nor is the keen edge of the fight for principle even dulled."

Eggs!! Get 'Em!!

Eggs always sell well in Grayling in the winter. Vast quantities of eggs are shipped in because our farm-

ers do not bring in enough of them. Why not clean, spray and whitewash the hen house; feed a better ration and get lots of eggs to sell?

In the great international Egg Laying contest, in which a thousand hens are engaged at our Agricultural College, the hens are treated thus:

A very small percentage of the pens have shown any signs of colds. These have responded to treatment. We are using one pound of Epsom salts to each hundred birds in the drinking water where any colds have made an appearance. The individual birds are treated with the formula, one part Oil of Eucalyptus, ten parts Oil of Petrol, this is injected into the nasal openings.

Several of our contestants have inquired regarding our feeding methods so we are publishing herewith the rations which are being fed on the Contest plan.

The birds receive a light feed of scratch feed the first thing in the morning and a full feed in the evening. Sprouted oats are fed for a green feed at nine o'clock. Semi-solid buttermilk at the rate of five pounds to a hundred birds is fed at eleven o'clock. Some of the pens are not consuming quite so much semi-solid as they probably will after becoming accustomed to it. Dry mash is before the birds at all times.

Scratch feed:

Cracked Corn	50 pounds
Whole wheat	50 pounds
Dry mash	30 pounds
Ground corn	20 pounds
Ground oats	20 pounds
Brans	20 pounds
Middlings	20 pounds
Best scrap	10 pounds
Line salt	1 pound
Ground limestone	3 pounds

Gumption.

Who among us has the gumption to rise out of the common level and do better than the crowd is doing?

### PROTECTING AN INVESTMENT.

Abraham Lincoln humorously said of a neighbor's assets. He has a wife and two children which I should think were worth thirty thousand dollars to any man."

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### Get at the Cause

Many Grayling Folks Are Showing How to Avoid Needless Suffering.

There's nothing more annoying than kidney weakness or inability to properly control the kidney secretions. Night and day alike, the sufferer is tormented and that with the burning and scalding, the attendant backache, headache and dizziness, life is indeed a burden. Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys—have brought peace and comfort to many Grayling people. Profit by this Grayling residents' experience:

"Mrs. Robt. Taylor, Elm St., says: 'Backache was the first symptom of kidney trouble in my case. When I bent over to pick up anything, sharp twinges caught me across my kidneys. Constant headaches were me out and I often had spells of dizziness. My kidneys were weak and acted too often. Doan's Pills did not fail to rid me of the trouble.'"

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## RED CROSS DUTY TO AID VETERANS

Spends Nearly Four Millions in Year to Lessen Burdens of Disabled Soldiers.

SERVES 63,700 IN HOSPITALS

Every Case Is Given Individual Service—Assists Families of These Men Everywhere.

Washington.—The need of individual assistance by ex-service men and their families from the Red Cross is as pressing today as it was immediately after the end of the World War. For six years this work has been foremost of all Red Cross services, and in emphasizing the steady public support of this work the Red Cross National Headquarters urges the largest enrollment this year during the membership campaign opening on Armistice Day, November 11.

Nearly four million dollars of Red Cross funds spent for disabled veterans and their dependents during the year ended June 30 last presents some idea of the magnitude of this work. The current year, it is estimated, will call for still further disbursements of funds for the reason that the Red Cross, through more than 2,500 Chapters in as many communities in the United States, has been called upon to help the ex-service men in making out their applications for the adjusted compensation granted in the so-called bonus law.

### 58,767 Soldier Cases a Month

The Red Cross work for the disabled soldier is designated "home service," for it gives individual attention to the man and his family approximating the interest and loving care of the home. Such service in the hospitals, camps, soldiers' homes and sanatoria, averaged 33,951 cases a month during the year. Assistance to ex-service men and their dependents averaged 58,767 cases a month. In addition, the Red Cross in the last twelve months provided \$3,000 recreation and entertainment events in the hospitals and camps.

Thus the Red Cross, symbolized as the "Greatest Mother," still watches over these many thousands of men, comforts them, helps to lighten the burden of their physical reconstruction, and in their homes lifts some of the burdens from their "own people."

### Work in Communities Increases

The home service of the Red Cross was the most pressing duty of 2,609 Chapters, an increase of 132 communities where problems affected by the war veterans' condition required solution through immediate and intelligent assistance. The Chapters alone expended some \$2,000,000 in this work.

The transient disabled soldier, usually suffering from disability or tuberculosis, is almost everywhere a grave problem. From national funds the past year \$173,976.36 was expended in helping the Chapters to care for these wandering men.

According to government report there are 4,800 veterans in civilian institutions, and in the national homes for soldiers the complications are increasing. The large groups of patients whose claims have been disallowed, of veterans of foreign wars, and the great number of men permanently resident in these institutions call for Red Cross work which cannot be avoided nor denied.

### Definite Service to 73,700

Of a total of \$4,500 ex-service men in hospitals and other institutions 73,700 were rendered a definite and specialized service by the Red Cross. In a single month 4,135 new cases were presented and a total of 26,125 were acted upon—figures which serve to illustrate the magnitude of the information and claims service engaging the attention of Red Cross workers. Now veteran legislation amending the War Risk act which extends many additional rights to disabled ex-service men will reopen thousands of cases and require still greater Red Cross service.

When Congress granted a charter to the American Red Cross it charged the organization with the duty to act as "the medium of communication between the American people and their Army and Navy." This responsibility is met every year without restriction.

### Serves Men on Active Service

The extent of this Red Cross activity during the last year embraced a total of 155,246 cases. There were 26,995 separate soldiers' and sailors' claims; 23,316 investigations of home conditions; 11,421 cases related to discharges, furloughs, etc. Assistance was given in 39,688 instances for personal, business or family problems; 744,220 visits were made to the sick or disabled, and nearly 40,000 letters and telegrams dispatched to the homes of enlisted men.

From June to September at the numerous military training camps the Red Cross provided information and home service to the trainees, also instruction in First Aid and Life-Saving. The entertainment and recreation events at the various Army and Navy hospitals reached nearly 9,500 during the year, and occupational therapy in nine Naval hospitals gave constructive and beneficial results and occupied the time of patients in the making of useful and ornamental things.

### GOOD FOR WEAK EYES

The quick action of simple camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash astonishes people. One small bottle helps any case of weak, sore or strained eyes. Aluminum eye cup free. A. M. Lewis is Druggist.

Yams Not Sweet Potatoes.

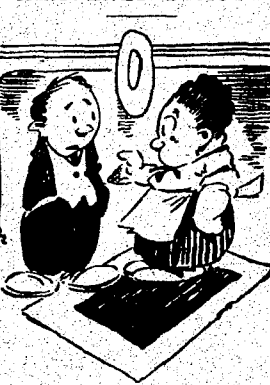
True yams are entirely distinct from sweet potatoes and are much like the Irish potato in composition and food value.

### SO OFTEN CHANGED



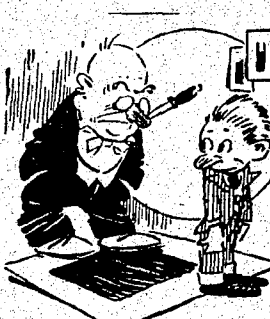
Wife—A woman's mind is undoubtedly cleaner than a man's! Hubby—Undoubtedly, my dear—it's so often changed!

### HEAVENLY BEAUTY



New Boarder—You told me in your letter there were views of heavenly beauty to be seen from this place! Landlady—And so there are! You just wait till tonight and then look up into our sky!

### EH—HOW'S THAT?



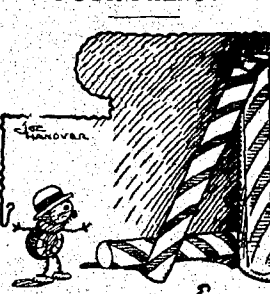
Father—I worked up from the bottom, sir—you're working down from the top! Son—Well, how do you expect me to get to the bottom so I can work up, if I don't?

### INVESTIGATION WANTED



Hubby—I don't know what I ever did till I met you. Wife—Neither do I, and I'd like to have it investigated.

### POOR FELLOW



Bug (who needs a shave)—Oh, shucks, I thought that was a barber pole, and it's a stick of peppermint candy!

### JUST BY THE BARD



Wife (reading paper)—One of the prisoners in this penitentiary has published a poem. Hubby—Remarkable—how is it signed? Wife—Just signed "By the Barred."

### Swift Winds.

The swiftest winds are encountered in temperate latitudes at an altitude of from five to seven miles, while above that the speed of the wind decreases.

### At Altar and Later On.

At the marriage altar a man imagines he is getting what he wants, but later he is apt to discover that he didn't know what he wanted.

## Nature's Amends for Toll Taken by Years

The critics have always stumbled a little over this final phase of supreme genius. They used to think that Michelangelo's last work was unfinished. They still often think that what we must recognize in such a manifestation is lassitude, failure of energy, a weakening grasp of brain or hand. I am not sure that there is not an element of truth in such criticism, observes Havelock Ellis, in the Forum. Only let us not forget that it is the mark of high genius, less to display athletically Titan strength than to be able to use weakness to reach divine ends. That power, it may well seem to us, is supremely visible in the typical last phase of the highest genius. The artist has lost his early power of realistic grip, and with it lost also his early taste for such power. But he has lost it only to attain a wider and deeper and more symbolic mastery of the world. He no longer cures more than he has ever before for that essence, and he is conscious of that essence with a delicacy of sensitive perception he never before possessed. He is no longer concerned with things; they are receding from his view. As he rises above the earth, like Elijah in his chariot of fire, he now sees it only in the distance. Henceforth he no longer deals with things. It is the soul of things that he brings before us. That is why his latter work fascinates us endlessly as, slowly, after many years, enlightened by the long course of our own experience, we begin at last to understand what it means.

## Good Stories Told of Famous French Writer

Max O'Rell, the famous French satirist, joked to the end. When he was lying on his deathbed, and after the doctors had informed him that there was no hope, he wrote: "I fear that I am doomed. The doctors give me a few months, but I believe I shall last longer. At any rate I shall try; for I'd rather wear a hat than a halo."

Max O'Rell, like all professional men, was occasionally imposed on with regard to hospitality, hostesses inviting him to an "at home" as a guest and then expecting him to perform, in other words to "tell a few stories."

Once when this happened, he left the drawing room hurriedly and went down to the hall, whence he returned in a few minutes in a state of great excitement, and approaching his hostess whispered agitatedly into her ear: "Madam, what kind of people have you here? The check you placed in my overcoat pocket—my fee for tonight—has been stolen!"—San Francisco Argonaut.

## Wars of the Roses

The Wars of the Roses were a series of sanguinary contests for the possession of the English throne, waged by the adherents of the houses of York and Lancaster, whose badges were the white and red roses, respectively. The struggle, says the Kansas City Star, commenced with the battle of St. Albans (1455), and lasted until 1485 when Henry Tudor (of Lancaster) defeated and killed Richard III. (of York) at Bosworth field. The two houses were finally united in the person of Henry Tudor (afterward Henry VII.), who in 1486 married Elizabeth of York, daughter of Edward IV. It is estimated that the Wars of the Roses occasioned the deaths of 12 princes of the blood, 200 nobles and 100,000 of the gentry and common people of England.

## Oldest Almanac

In the British museum is an almanac that is 3,000-years old; it is supposed to be the oldest in the world.

It is written like all other Egyptian manuscripts, on papyrus, and was found on the mummy of an Egyptian, who had treasured it apparently as something sacred, for it is of a strong religious character. Under the days, which are written in red ink, there is a figure followed by three characters, signifying the probable state of the weather.

It is not entire, but it was evidently torn before its owner died. Beyond clearly establishing the reign of Rameses the Great, it contains nothing else of any value.

## Doublon Still Current

The doubloon, that famous coin of romance, is still in circulation. The Isabelle doubloon, worth \$5, still remains current in Cuba. The doubloon is so called because, when first coined, it was double the value of a pistole—that is, it was worth \$8. The name was given later to a double doubloon current in the West Indies. Pieces of eight, with which readers of fiction are familiar, are also in circulation. They are simply Spanish dollars of eight reals. A doubloon dated 1787—there are said to be only six of that date in existence—sold not long ago for \$8,200.

## Colors to Scare Spirits

The Chinese, as most people know, are extremely superstitious, and have a great dread of evil spirits; they take endless trouble, in all the affairs of life, to circumvent the demons, says the Detroit News. The evil spirits, the Chinese believe, loathe bright colors, especially red, and these lurid decorations are supposed to be very potent in their protective influences. With decorated bill in all sorts of vivid tints and a big eye at the bow to enable "it to see," a Chinese junk is a very impressive-looking craft.

## Scorpions' Stings Not Fatal.

Scorpions range from two to eight inches in length, and while they are apt to inflict a severe wound with their sting, it is rarely fatal.

## Women Bankers.

It is interesting to note that women are recognized more frequently in the banking business throughout the West than in the East.

## RED CROSS IS URGING BETTER-HEALTH BATTLE

Tireless in Services Advancing Cause of Freedom from Human Suffering.

Not alone in preparedness for emergencies, but in a tireless offensive battle for better health is the American Red Cross nurse maintaining in peace time the high tradition of her war service. As in war, the same self-sacrificing service for humanity goes on its quiet, effective way content in its accomplishments, seeking no public acclaim. Enrolled in the Red Cross Nursing Service are 40,636 of these missionaries of health, nearly 1,000 carrying the message of a finer public health to as many communities and 1,100 teaching large classes in home hygiene and care of the sick. Exactly 100 Red Cross nurses are still on duty overseas, helping the struggle forward toward the high standard of American nurse efficiency in many countries.

In the government services 3,117 enrolled Red Cross nurses are on duty with the Army, Navy, Public Health Service and the Veterans Bureau, while the entire active enrollment is maintained as a reserve for the Army Nurse Corps and available to the Navy in a national defense emergency. Nine hundred nurses were added to the roll the last year.

Red Cross nursing, however, has perhaps its finest expression out in the places laid waste by fire, flood and storm, and in the back reaches far from the centers of population. In every disaster the Red Cross nurse is first called for, first to respond, and the last to leave her post of duty among the suffering victims. In the isolated sections of Alaska, North Carolina, Virginia, Idaho, and among the bleak islands of Penobscott Bay, Me., her ministrations are making hard lives easier and working for a brighter future for the children. Her part in the human drama of the time is increasingly important, although it is subdued by the very nature of her work.

The policy of the American Red Cross to establish under Chapter control public health nursing services in communities lacking such facilities has been justified and this pioneering work is everywhere endorsed by authorities who are quick to take it over as a proper municipal function and a duty of taxpayers. The Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick program has further penetrated into the schools as a definite part of curricula. During the year 23,000 school pupils took this Red Cross course. Three telephone corporations adopted it and graduated 360 employe students.

As good health depends upon right eating the Red Cross Nutrition Service continued to promote individual and community health, particularly the health of mothers and children. This service reached nearly 150,000 persons during the year and found work to do for several thousand Red Cross volunteer workers.

## Red Cross Fighting First Aid Battle To Conserve Life

Reliable records establish the fact that more than 75,000 accidental deaths occur every year in the United States. The records show that 208 American citizens are killed every day; that 38 of these deaths are due to automobiles, 35 to falls, 19 to drownings, 16 to burns.

Facing such distressing sacrifice of life is the First Aid Service of the American Red Cross, fighting through education and demonstration to instill a consciousness of safety in the public mind and teaching approved methods which assure that competent hands will care for injured persons until the arrival of doctors. Trained service in the first few minutes is vital in serious accidents and saves many precious lives.

One of the most encouraging signs of the past year is the record of the Red Cross First Aid Insurance Car No. 1 which traveled 9,700 miles along trunk lines, stopping at 137 places. The car's staff of surgeons gave 911 demonstrations to audiences composed of 42,150 railroad men, 71,000 high school and college students, 13,000 in industrial workers, 2,000 members of clubs, and nearly 18,000 policemen, firemen, and other municipal employes, a total of 147,000.

Red Cross First Aid certificates were conferred upon 13,865 persons who took the course last year, an increase of 4,000 over 1923. Telephone, gas and electric companies, public service corporations and other large employers of the country adopted the Red Cross course, and their team contests everywhere were witnessed by huge crowds with as much interest as develops at popular athletic games. In the industrial field the growth of First Aid practice to fight to reduce preventable accidents and unnecessary loss of life has received wide recognition. The promise of an unprecedented advance in this line cause lies in the evidence of the great strides systematic instruction in First Aid has made throughout the country through the Red Cross Chapters and the work of the experts in this service under direction of the national organization.

Sign the American Red Cross roll this year for humanity's sake.

## Apples For Sale

Spies - - - \$1.75 bu.  
Small Spies - 1.00 "  
Baldwins - - - 1.50 "  
Greenings - - - 1.50 "  
Steel Reds - - - 1.50 "  
Ben Davis - - - 1.25 "

The above price is F. O. B. West Branch. These apples will not last long, better order now. All orders will be promptly filled.

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Frank Wolfson  
West Branch, Mich.

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